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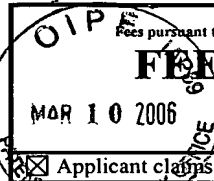
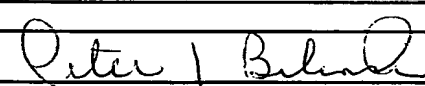
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	<b>FILING FEES</b>		<b>SEARCH FEES</b>		<b>EXAMINATION FEES</b>														
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Design	200	100	100	50	130	65													
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80													
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300													
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<b>2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES</b>							<b>Small Entity</b>												
<b>Fee Description</b>							<b>Fee (\$)</b>												
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)							50												
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)							200												
Multiple dependent claims							360												
<b>Total Claims</b>		<b>Extra Claims</b>		<b>Fee (\$)</b>		<b>Fee Paid (\$)</b>	<b>Multiple Dependent Claims</b>												
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<b>4. OTHER FEES</b>							<b>Fees Paid (\$)</b>												
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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 02/08/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 02/08/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 02/08/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 02/08/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 02/08/2005
- Small Entity Statement filed on 02/08/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 02/08/2005
- Copy of references cited in ISR filed on 02/08/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 02/08/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 02/08/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity:

- \$65 Surcharge.

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The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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